Notification No. 99, *dated* 12*th December* 1916.

Classes for training persons, for Clerkship Examination sanctioned in G. O. No. 75—E. A. G.—40, dated 24th November 1916, will be opened in the Government High School, Bangalore, on the 15th of January 1917. Application for admission for the above, should be sent so as to reach the Secretary, Mysore Local Service and Pleaders' Examinations, Bangalore, on or before the 13th of January.

2. The examination will comprise the following subjects :—

1. Precis writing ;
2. Referencing and drafting ;
3. Filing records ;
4. Simple office accounts ;
5. Reading Kannada manuscripts ; and
6. General rules of office procedure.

3. There will be two grades in the above examination ; one called the Higher and the other the Lower.

4. Persons who have passed the Matriculation Examination of any Indian University or obtained the Completed Secondary School-Leaving Certificate will be trained for the Higher Grade ; and those for the Lower Grade, must at least have passed the Mysore Kannada Lower Secondary Examination.

5. No fees will be charged, to start with, for the instruction.

6. Classes will be held for three months every year. Instruction will be given from 5-30 P. M. to 6-30 P. M., every evening during the above period.

7. Admission will be confined to persons who contemplate entering Government Service and are certified by a Gazetted Officer to be likely to profit by the instruction.

G. SRINIVASA IYER,
Secretary.

AMRUT MAHAL DEPARTMENT.

Notification dated 12*th December* 1916.

It is hereby notified for public information that some bullocks of the department will be sold by public auction at Hassan, commencing from the 6th January 1917, during the cattle show. Intending purchasers may appear themselves at the auction and bid for the animals.

Conditions.

(i) As soon as the sale is knocked down, the highest bidder should pay 25 per cent of the sale amount ; the balance should be paid by him within three days from the date of sale.

(ii) If he fails to fulfil the above condition, the cattle will be reauctioned and the original bidder made to pay for any loss which may occur but he shall not participate in any profit.

H. NANJUNDARAJ URS,
Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF SERICULTURE.

Dated 8*th December* 1916.

COURSE OF INSTRUCTION IN THE CENTRAL SCHOOL.

Instruction is imparted in the following subjects during a period of six months :—

(i) Mulberry cultivation.
(ii) Rearing of silk-worms.
(iii) Rearing houses.
(iv) Preparation of seed.

Examination of Students.—The examination of students will take place in the last month of the course. Students who are successful in the examination will be deputed to do practical work in the popular schools of sericulture as Practitioners for a period of another six months. Only at the end of this period of practical work, a certificate of proficiency will be granted to deserving students.

Popular schools.—These schools will be started in the taluks and will be open, free of charge, during day time, without any restrictions whatsoever, to all persons desirous of observing and learning the modern methods of sericulture.

REGULATIONS FOR THE SERICULTURAL CENTRAL SCHOOL.

1. No leave shall be granted to the students during the period of training except for a reason which is sufficient in the opinion of the Senior Officer in the school.

2. A monthly return of leave granted shall be submitted to the Director with the salary bills and scholarship bills of the school.

3. If the period of absence or leave of any student on account of disease exceeds fifteen days in the first half of the year or fifteen days in the second half, he will be regarded as having lost his term and will not be eligible to attend the course that year, or obtain the certificate of proficiency at the end of the second six months.

He may however in the Director's discretion be readmitted in a subsequent session.

4. A time table shall be hung up in the school.

5. The work of manual labour both during nights and days shall be arranged by turns.

6. The student who shall be negligent of work or irregular in attendance shall be suspended for one or two days for each act of negligence or irregularity.

7. If the total number of absences including suspension and leave exceeds together fifteen days in either half-year, the student shall be dismissed.

8. Students shall be liable to immediate expulsion if they are found guilty of any grave misdemeanour indicating want of character whether within or outside the school or of a breach of the rules and regulations of the school.

9. A student who is dismissed or expelled for the reasons mentioned in paras 7 and 8 shall on no account be readmitted in the school.

10. No holidays shall be granted to the students during the period preceding the date of examination.

11. But whenever possible, without prejudice to work, Government holidays may be granted by turns arranged by the Superintendent.

12. Hygienic principles must be observed by the students not only in connection with the school but also in their personal habits.

13. All dissensions among the students must be duly reported to their superiors.

14. Any complaint against superiors must be brought to the notice of the Director in writing.

RULES FOR THE ADMISSION OF STUDENTS TO THE CENTRAL SCHOOL.

1. Candidates for admission to the Sericultural Central School must not be below 16 or above 25 years of age.

2. They should produce a certificate of age and good character from the shekdar of the hobli or at least from a person not lower in rank than a patel.

3. They must produce a certificate from a medical officer that they possess a sound physical constitution.

4. They must be able to read and write in vernacular, but knowledge of English will not be compulsory though it may be a ground for preference in regard to stipends, etc.

5. They will be required to give an undertaking that they will devote themselves to the practice of sericulture in the State within a period not ordinarily exceeding a year after the completion of their training.

6. In the case of stipendiary students, non-observance of the condition specified in Rule 5 will entail a refund of the scholarships drawn by them which will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue.

For this purpose the undertaking given by such students should be signed by their parents or guardians in token of acceptance of this condition.

7. It should be clearly understood that Government do not guarantee employments to candidates who successfully undergo sericultural training though it is possible that the best among them may be offered posts in the Department.

8. Students shall undergo an examination at the end of a six months' course in the school comprising both theory and practice.

9. Students who are successful in the examination will be deputed as Practitioners to do practical work in the Taluk Popular Schools for a period of another six months.

10. At the end of the second six months, certificates of proficiency will be granted on the basis of the results of the examination already held and the manner in which the practical work has been discharged.

11. Stipendiary students will, during the first three months of their training, be paid a scholarship of Rs. 8 per month, which will, if satisfactory progress is made in their studies, be raised to Rs. 10 during the remaining part of the school course. If they are successful in their examination, they will during the six months of their deputation for practical work, receive Rs. 12 per month.

12. Voluntary students will be admitted under the same conditions as others, but without scholarships, and limitation of age.

13. Students are expected to be strictly amenable to the rules and regulations of the institutions.

14. Applications for admission should be in the annexed form and addressed to the Director of Sericulture accompanied by certificates of age and character, and physical fitness as indicated above.

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO THE GOVERNMENT SERICULTURAL CENTRAL SCHOOL.

To the Director of Sericulture in Mysore.
ಮೈಸೂರು ಸೀಪೆಯ ರೇಷ್ಮೆ ಇಲಾಖೆಯ ಡೈರೆಕ್ಟರ್ ಸಾಹೇಬರವರಿಗೆ.

I beg you to admit me as a student to the Government Sericultural School. I agree ನನ್ನನ್ನು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ರೇಷ್ಮೆ ಸ್ಕೂಲಿಗೆ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಯಾಗಿ ಸೇರಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕೆಂದು ಬೇಡುತ್ತೇನೆ. ಸದರಿ ಸ್ಕೂಲಿನ to be bound by the rules of the Institution. I have filled in the form noted below ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಕಾಯಿದೆಗಳಿಗೂ ನಾನು ಬದ್ಧನಾಗಿರಲು ಒಪ್ಪಿದ್ದೇನೆ. ಇಲ್ಲಿ ನಮೂದಿಸಿರುವ ಸಂಗತಿಗಳೆಲ್ಲಾ ಸತ್ಯವಾಗಿ truly :—
ಬರೆದಿದ್ದೇನೆ :—

Name of applicant ಹೆಸರು .....

Age ವಯಸ್ಸು .....

Caste ಜಾತಿ .....

Father's name ತಂದೆಯ ಹೆಸರು .....

Occupation ಕಸಬು .....

Residence ವಾಸಸ್ಥಳ .....

Scholarship or voluntary? ವೇತನವೀಕ ಅಥವಾ ಉಚಿತವಾಗಿ ಬರತಕ್ಕವರೆ? .....

Certificate of good character ಒಳ್ಳೇ ನಡತೆಯ ಸರ್ಟಿಫಿಕೇಟು .....

Certificate of good health ಆರೋಗ್ಯಸ್ಥಿತಿಗೆ ಸರ್ಟಿಫಿಕೇಟು .....

Signature of parent or guardian ತಂದೆಯ ಅಥವಾ ಪೋಷಕರ ರುಜು .....

Date ತಾರೀಖು .....

Signature of applicant
ರುಜು.

Note.—The date of commencement of the course and the time of selection of students will be notified from time to time.

S. W. MARI,
Director of Sericulture in Mysore.

MYSORE STATE RAILWAYS.

TRAFFIC MANAGER'S OFFICE.

Notice dated 13th December 1916.

The public are hereby informed that with effect from Tuesday the 2nd January 1917, paid telegrams from the public will be accepted for despatch to any station in India at the Telegraph Offices at Bettahalsoor (B. C. L. Railway), Doddanetta, Dalsanur, and Hudukula (K. D. Railway), Railway Stations. The hours of working will be from 6 A.M. to 8 P.M. For particulars of rates of charges, etc., *vide* Indian Telegraph Guide.

B. VENKOBA RAO,
Traffic Manager.